

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Patent Application of:

Inventor(s)

Candelore

Filed

1/2/2002

Serial No.

10/037,914

Confirmation No.

7612

Group Art Unit

Examiner

2161 Unknown

**Docket Number** 

SNY-R4646.03

**GROUP 3600** 

MAY - 2004

RECEIVED

Title

**Elementary Stream Partial Encryption** 

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING / FAX TRANSMISSION** 

I hereby certify that this correspondence is, on the date shown below, being:

deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

transmitted by facsimile to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Offic

JERRY A. MILLER Reg. No. 30,779

(Applicant, Assignee or Reg. Representative)

SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS:**

This document is a second preliminary amendment of the above-referenced patent application. Please amend the application as detailed below in this second preliminary amendment. It is noted that the first preliminary amendment was erroneously labeled "Response to Office Action", but is in fact a first preliminary amendment.

05/05/2004 MBERHE

00000056 10037914

01 FC:1202 02 FC:1201

486.00 OP 344.00 OP



## RELIMINARY AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER Attorney Docket No: (second preliminary amendment) SNY-R4646.03 Application Serial Number: Filing Date: Group Art Unit: Examiner: 10/037,914 1/2/2002 Unknown 2161 Invention: Elementary Stream Partial Encryption TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: Transmitted herewith is a second preliminary amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** CLAIMS REMAINING HIGHEST NUMBER NO. OF EXTRA ADDITIONAL AFTER AMENDMENT PREVIOUSLY PAID CLAIMS PRESENT RATE FFF FOR **TOTAL CLAIMS** 109 **MINUS** 82 27 \$18 \$486 INDEP. CLAIMS 17 **MINUS** 13 4 \$86 \$344 TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT \$830.00 Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted. A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed. A Credit Card Payment Form is enclosed. Charge any underpayment to Deposit Account \_\_\_\_50-1257 No additional fee is required. Reg. No. 30779

I hereby certify that this correspondence and all correspondence identified as accompanying this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. on the date indicated below.

. Miller, Reg. No. 30779

Date